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0	PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)				Docket Number (Optional)	
EX	FY 2005 (fees effective on or after October 1, 2004)				037003-0308678	
Application Number 10/796,158				Filed	March 10, 2004	
For THIOL-MEDIATED DRUG ATTACHMENT TO TARGETING PEPTIDES						
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.						
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):						
				<u>Eee</u>	Small Entity Fee	
		One mor	th (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$110	\$55	\$
		Two mor	ths (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$430	\$215	\$
		Three me	onths (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$980	\$490	\$
	x	Four mo	oths (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1530	\$765	\$1,530.00
		Five mor	oths (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2080	\$1040	\$
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$					
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	The Director has already been authorized to change fees in this application to a Deposit Account.					
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	l am		applicant/inventor.			
	assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).					
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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.						
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